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February 19, 2022

The Honorable P. Kevin Castel  
United States District Court, SDNY  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

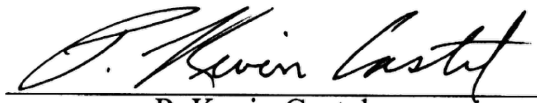
Re: United States v. Fernando RA, 20-cr-601 (PKC)

Dear Judge Castel:

I am writing to request permission to file out of time the defense sentencing submission today, February 19, 2022. In accordance with the Court's individual rules of practice, the sentencing submission should have been filed on February 16, 2022. The undersigned was engaged on a suppression hearing on a homicide case this week and I was not able to file the submission on February 16, 2022. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Application Granted.

So Ordered.



P. Kevin Castel  
United States District Judge  
2/22/2022

Respectfully,

/s/  
Troy A. Smith, Esq.  
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Fernando RA